



Board of Canvassers Minutes May 1, 2018

Chair Gib Coerper

Member Traci L. Gresham

Member Vida Waters

City Manager Traci L. Gresham

Deputy City Clerk Alan Henderson

City Attorney Marian Rush

The City Commission will conduct a
Board of Canvassers
At 8:00 PM
to address the item(s) below.

Meeting Date: May 1, 2018

Meeting Location: James A. Lewis Commission Chambers

BOARD OF CANVASSERS MEETING MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Led by Chair Gib Coerper.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Member Vida Waters moved to approve the agenda; seconded by Member Traci Gresham.

Passed by unanimous consent.

I. AGENDA ITEMS

A. Canvass Vote by Mail Ballots

Deputy City Clerk Alan Henderson presented the Vote by Mail ballots for inspection by the Board of Canvassers, the candidates, and the audience.

Deputy City Clerk Henderson explained the process of validating the signatures of the Vote by Mail ballots.

Assistant Deputy City Clerk LeAnne Williams and Administrative Services Manager Tara Malone opened and counted the ballots.

Member Gresham moved to accept the vote, with Gary Hardacre receiving 20 votes and Doug Hancock received 31 votes; seconded by Member Waters.

B. Canvass Provisional Ballots

There were no provisional ballots.

C. Canvass Precinct Results

After verifying that the number on the zip tie was correct, Deputy City Clerk Henderson opened the Precinct 03 ballot box.

Assistant Deputy City Clerk Williams and Administrative Services manager Malone counted the ballots. There were 163 for Doug Hancock and 99 for Gary Hardacre for a total of 262 votes cast.

After verifying that the number on the zip tie was correct, Deputy City Clerk Henderson opened the Precinct 53 ballot box.

Assistant Deputy City Clerk Williams and Administrative Services manager Malone counted the ballots. There were 95 for Doug Hancock and 76 for Gary Hardacre for a total of 171 votes cast, with one spoiled ballot.

After verifying that the number on the zip tie was correct, Deputy City Clerk Henderson opened the Precinct 63 ballot box.

Assistant Deputy City Clerk Williams and Administrative Services manager Malone counted the ballots. There were 57 for Doug Hancock and 171 for Gary Hardacre for a total of 228 votes cast.

Member Gresham moved to accept the vote from Precinct 03, with Gary Hardacre receiving 99 votes and Doug Hancock received 163 votes; seconded by Member Waters.

Chair Coerper opened the floor for comments.

There were no comments.

Passed by unanimous consent.

Member Waters moved to accept the vote from Precinct 53, with Gary Hardacre receiving 76 votes and Doug Hancock received 95 votes; seconded by Member Gresham.

Chair Coerper opened the floor for comments.

There were no comments.

Passed by unanimous consent.

Member Gresham moved to accept the vote from Precinct 63, with Gary Hardacre receiving 171 votes and Doug Hancock received 57 votes; seconded by Member Waters.

Chair Coerper opened the floor for comments.

There were no comments.

Passed by unanimous consent.

The final count was 346, Doug Hancock and 366, Gary Hardacre, with Gary Hardacre receiving the majority of the vote.

D. Call and Certify the Election

Deputy City Clerk Henderson transcribed the numbers and asked the Board to call the election for Gary Hardacre, having received the majority of the vote for Seat 5, and certify that he has been elected to City Commissioner Seat 5, sign the certification, and ajourn.

Member Gresham moved to call the election for Gary Hardacre, having received the majority of the vote for Seat 5; seconded by Member Waters.

Mayor Coerper opened the floor for comments.

There were no comments.

Passed by unanimous consent.

ADJOURN

Member Gresham moved to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Member Waters.

Passed by unanimous consent.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF CANVASSERS OF THE
CITY OF ALACHUA, FLORIDA

Adam Boukari, City Manager/City Clerk

Gib Coerper, Mayor